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# High Class DAHLIAS

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## Field Grown Roots

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New Creations and Old Favorites  
including Cactus, Formal and  
Informal Decoratives,  
Art Pom-Poms.

A SELECT LIST

IROQUOIS DAHLIA  
GARDENS

JOHN TOTH

P. O. BOX 12 FAIRFIELD, CONN.

## To My Dahlia Friends and Customers:

I am pleased to hand you this 1934 price list which is the result of my efforts to place before you the best values possible. They have proven their worth the past season by rugged growth and normal bloom. These varieties will give complete satisfaction if you dig deep, cultivate regularly and keep the insects under control.

I want you to be satisfied with my Dahlias. If at any time your purchase from me should not be as represented, I want to know it. My best efforts are used to keep my stock absolutely healthy and true to name and will be cheerfully replaced if they prove otherwise.

Sincerely yours,

IROQUOIS DAHLIA GARDENS,  
P. O. Box 12, Fairfield, Conn.



### JOIN THE AMERICAN DAHLIA SOCIETY

If you are not a member of this great Society you should join by all means. The dues are only \$2.00 the year, which entitles the members to the Bulletin free. The vast amount of useful information published in each issue of the Bulletin is worth many times \$2.00 to any Dahlia grower.

Mr. C. Louis Alling, West Haven, Conn., is Secretary.

## My Own Introductions For The Year 1934

**IROQUOIS SUNBEAM (I.D.) Score 85, 1933 —**  
Here is a dahlia that should be in every garden, It can be grown for exhibition or for commercial purposes. Color, orange buff with a great deal of flesh ochre. The plant is a strong grower and a very prolific bloomer, there being six to eight perfect blooms on the plant at all times. The flowers measure six to nine inches, depth two to five inches and height six feet. Will do well in most soils with very little care.

**Root \$12.50**

**IROQUOIS ECLIPSE (F.D.) —** This was an outstanding variety in my gardens the past season. The plant is a profuse bloomer of large ten inch flowers of good depth, has good stems. Did well at the World's Fair Gardens against adverse conditions. The color, phlox pink with darker shade at the base of petals. A good exhibition flower.

**Root \$7.50**

**IROQUOIS GIANT (I.D.)—**The color bluish violet, a very prolific bloomer of ten inch flowers on strong stems, admired by all that saw it. This also did well at the World's Fair Garden. The bush is a strong robust grower with leathery foliage, petals will dry on flower before they will drop off and will keep in good condition for a week when cut. A beautiful dahlia for exhibition or commercial purposes.

**Root \$10.00**

**IROQUOIS WHITE PRINCE (CAC) —** This pure white dahlia should be in every garden. It is an early and free bloomer, foliage light green and insect resisting. The flowers are borne high above the foliage, often as much as sixteen inches above the first leaf axle, very good stems. Flowers often attain ten to twelve inches. Splendid for exhibition, also good keeping qualities when cut.

**Root \$7.50**

## My Own Introductions Of Years 1932 and 1933

**ARISTOCRAT (I.D.)—**This dahlia was admired at the World's Fair Gardens, also at my gardens, for having so many perfect blooms on a plant at all times. It is an improvement over Mrs. I. DeVer Warner with a shade darker in color. A robust grower. A very good cut flower with long stems, also a good exhibition flower. Will do well in all kinds of soil. One that should not be overlooked.

**Root \$4.00**

**GOLDEN BEAUTY, (I.D.)**—Flowering habit prolific. The color is Apricot Yellow with tints of Grenadine Pink. This is well worth trying. **Root \$1.50**

**IROQUOIS CHIEF (I.D.)**—This one is one of the earliest dahlias to bloom and there are always flowers to cut. The color is dark maroon. **Root \$1.50**

**IROQUOIS FASCINATION, (BALL)**—A very free bloomer that keeps well when cut. The color is lemon yellow **Root \$1.50**

#### NEW AND RECENT INTRODUCTIONS OF OTHER GROWERS

**ACHIEVEMENT (Semi-Cactus) (Ballay)** — Gold with bronze shadings. When this appeared at the Dahlia Society of San Francisco show in 1930 it took The American Home Achievement Medal; and therefore its name. It is truly an achievement as thorough trials both East and West amply demonstrate **Root \$3.50**

**AGNE L. YOUNG (I.D.)** — This plant is a very strong grower, that is insect resistant, flowers borne on long stems. Pleasing colors, red with gold tips. **Root \$5.00**

**AMERICAN TRIUMPH (St. C.)** — This one is considered the best true cactus ever produced. The brightest shade of pure Oriental red, without a trace of any other color. The blooms are large, deep, and of good substance, and are held erect on long, strong, wiry stems. A fine cut or exhibition flower. **Root 75c**

**AVALON (I.D.) (Broomall)**—Clear canary yellow. Very distinct and pleasing, producing a good plant which bushes well and blooms freely.—Flowers are full centered on long erect stems. Do not fertilize heavily. **Root 75c**

**BAGDAD (I. Dec.)** — The color is a flaming scarlet red, long strong stems holding the blooms high above the bush, an enormous, as well as a prolific bloomer. This dahlia will not fade and highly recommended by us. **Root \$1.00**

**CHAMPOEG (F.D.)** — The dahlia beautiful. This wonderfully beautiful dahlia is so very unusual in its color, it is without a competitor, the color being waxy canary yellow, yellow at center, shading to salmon pink, giving a color combination so beautiful and evenly distributed as though painted by hand. The pink deepens in color as the weather becomes cooler in the Fall. Backs of petals pale yellow, overcast with a veil of white. **Root \$1.50**

**COMMODORE (I.D.) (Scott-Kemp)**—Another big fellow from West Virginia and a fine addition to the yellow class. It is strikingly like King Midas and also, like that fine yellow, is at its best when grown to large size. **Root \$2.50**

**CHARLES G. REED (F. Dec.)** — Purple red sometimes described as petunia-red and a lively shade not far from crimson. In our gardens it was crimson, with a brush of dark maroon almost one-third the way back on the petals. It is unusually large and upright, on good stems                              **Root \$1.50**

**CHEMAR'S PURITY (I.D.)** — A most perfect white decorative seedling from Jersey's Beauty which it resembles in everything but color. The petals are long and straight, the center excellent, size immense, stems extra long and stiff, holding flowers high up above a strong, sturdy plant. When the flowers first open they show a slight trace of ivory near the center, this gradually changes to a pure white at maturity.                              **Root \$1.00**

**DOROTHY STONE (I.D.) (F.&M.)** — This dahlia has shown up well in the gardens and in the show room although not as spectacular as its running mate, Kathleen Norris. It is a deeper pink and a deeper flower. A good grower with deep green leathery foliage. Stems are long and erect.                              **Root \$1.00**

**DR. JOHN CARMAN (F.D.) (Dixon)** — This is an exceptionally strong and vigorous grower. The flowers are large and almost a true American Beauty Rose in color. The stems are excellent and the foliage strong and tough.                              **Root \$1.00**

**DWIGHT W. MORROW (I.D.) (Dahliadel)** — A gigantic red flower with heavy leathery foliage on a healthy growing plant. Winner of many prizes. Should be topped out once or twice and disbudded leaving terminal buds to bloom.                              **Root \$2.00**

**EAGLE ROCK FANTASY (I.D.) (Broomall-Success)** — Giant flowers of clear mallow pink without shadings. It attains great size and depth. Winner of a Certificate of Merit and an Honor Roll Dahlia. Wins prizes consistently at all shows where it is entered.                              **Root \$2.50**

**EAGLE ROCK WONDERS (S.C.) (Broomall-Success)** — Color, mars-orange shading to orange-buff with tints of gold-pink and coral-red, with the general effect of orange-apricot. A free bloomer of good form and tremendous size. Worth yof any garden.                              **Root \$2.00**

**EDNA FERBER (S.C.)** — Glistening coral, shading to old gold at base of petals. An exhibition flower of mammoth size, with an extremely strong stem. We can recommend this dahlia very highly.

**Root \$1.00**

**EDWARD THOMAS BEDFORD (Formal Dec.)** — This is a very large deep purple, produced on ideal stems. It is a strong vigorous grower and makes a large spreading bush.                              **Root \$1.00**

**ELLINOR VANDERVEER (F.D.) (Seal)** — An incomparable dahlia of exquisite beauty and of great size and depth, having every desirable quality.

Color, a rich glowing satiny pink. One of the earliest to flower. Root 50c

**ELIZA LONDON SHEPHERD (I.D.) (Peacock)**—For sheer beauty, this variety is highly recommended, plants are of tall habit of growth, laden with blooms of an exquisite blending of bright gold and apricot. Flowers are of good substance with full centers and are borne on the long stiff stems. In the field the plants attracted all eyes with their profusion of beautiful flowers. Root \$1.00

**ELKRIDGE (I.D.) (Griffith)**—Large, white flowers borne on perfect stems, a vigorous grower and the flowers are produced in great freedom. Root \$1.00

**EVA L. QUADLING (I. D.)**—The color of this beautiful dahlia is a spectrum red, shading to ox-blood red at the center. The huge blooms have exceptional depth and are held erect on the best of long, stiff, wiry stems. Was the attraction at my gardens this past season. Can easily be grown to eight or nine inches across and over six inches deep. Root \$2.00

**FLOYD GIBBONS (I.D.) (Veile & Mendham)**—Color bright copper on a long-petaled very deep flower. A free bloomer of large spectacular flowers and a clean grower. Root \$4.00

**FORT WASHINGTON (F. Dec.)**—Here is a dahlia that can and has won many prizes for the largest in the show. Very seldom less than ten inches, without forcing. The large flowers are held perfectly erect on long cane stiff stems. Deep maroon color. Root \$1.00

**FORT MONMOUTH (I.D.) (Kemp)**—Rich wine color with an underlying tone of crimson maroon and slight blush-violet at tips of petals. Well formed, full centered and attains blooms of immense size of 12 to 14 inches in diameter, borne on long stiff stems, standing high above its dark green foliage and looking you proudly in the face. It blooms profusely from early to late. Root \$1.00

**FRAU O. BRACHT (C.) (Berger)**—Color, clear, clean, graceful, large, pale primrose flower held proudly above a fine foliage on long stiff stems. A German introduction. Root \$1.00

**FULL MOON (F. D.)**—Here is a dahlia that can truthfully be called a superlative dahlia. The big bold flowers easily measure 12 inches across and are regularly formed of broad flat petals that terminate in a perfectly full artistic center. The color is canary yellow. A consistent winner at all of the shows. If you want to win first in the largest bloom class, here it is. Root \$5.00

**GIRL OF HILLCREST (I. D.)**—This excellent dahlia is classified as an informal decorative, but at times it is almost a semi-cactus. The flowers are artistic and well formed, the color of which is a bright apricot buff, and also described by others

as a Mikado orange. Suffice to say that the blooms are not only large but have great depth and that they are held high aloft. A strong bush which is not only an early but also a very prolific bloomer.

**Root \$2.00**

**GOODNIGHT (I.D.)**—Oxblood red shaded deeper maroon. Plant is of medium height. A great garden and exhibition variety.

**Root \$2.50**

**GOV. MORGAN F. LARSON (F.D.) (Hall) 1930—** Color, clear, golden yellow with slight apricot blush on reverse. Very impressive Formal Decorative medium to tall growth, but sturdy plant

**Root \$1.50**

**GRAF ZEPPELIN (F.D.)** — A pure white Honor Roll Dahlia, of tall growth with flowers of immense size, grown on long stiff stems. **Root \$1.50**

**HARRY MAYER (F.D.) (Reed)**—A fine exhibition dahlia having size, depth, wonderful stem, full center and sturdy healthy bush growth. Its color is a beautiful silvery pink with a rose pink reverse. Very satisfactory.

**Root \$1.00**

**INDIANA MOON (F.D.) (Martin)**—Color, flesh ochre, flushed pink, salmon and gold. Huge flowers of color, beauty and form on a vigorous, beautiful plant with disease and insect resisting foliage.

**Root \$2.00**

**IVORY (F.D.) (Boston)**—An immense self color of pure cream white, deeper at the center and just a shade lighter at the edges with a deeper tip. The petals are long, pointed and wave gracefully. The bush is medium tall and it a late bloomer.

**Root \$2.00**

**JANE COWL (I.D.) (Downs)**—An ideal dahlia, fairly tall with vigorous dark green leathery foliage; straight, strong stems holding monster blooms of glistening bronzy buff and salmon shades proudly aloft with a beauty that stops you and makes you look again.

**Root 50c**

**JEROME KERN (I.D.) (Veile & Mendham)**—One of the outstanding dahlias of the year, and certainly one of the greatest prize winners. An informal decorative of exquisite formation, different in fact from the formation of any other dahlia. The petals curve clear to the back of the stem and form a mass of "curls." The color is a soft shrimp pink with gold and bronze shadings at the center. The stem is excellent and the growth very vigorous. It blooms profusely and the fact that it is both an exhibition and commercial variety may be gleaned from the great many awards that it received during the past season.

**Root \$7.50**

**JERSEY'S BEACON (F.D.) (Waite)**—A universal favorite as an exhibition and garden flower; color is a Chinese scarlet with a paler reverse, giving it a two-toned effect. Flowers are large and globular in shape. The plant is a vigorous grower having splendid insect resisting foliage.

**Root 75c**

**JERSEY BEAUTY (F.D.) (Waite)**—This is undoubtedly the finest pink dahlia in existence. A glorious flower of eosine pink; pleases everybody either as a garden flower, a cut flower or for exhibition purposes. Tall vigorous grower, profuse bloomer with fine stems and foliage. It leads all other varieties in sales of individual dahlias in our garden.

Root 75c

**JERSEY'S TRIUMPH (F.D.)** — This is a seedling from the same parents that produced Jersey's Beauty and is identical with Jersey's Beauty in habit and growth that they cannot be distinguished apart before they bloom. The color, however, is entirely different and is a real autumn shade of bright copper flushed with salmon bronze.

Root \$1.50

**JOSEPHINE G (S.C.)** — An exceptionally fine dahlia which comes, to us from the Buckeye State and is recommended as being of most excellent quality in every particular. The color is a bright definite pink, with very faint, light yellow shading at base of petals in center of flower. Each flower is lightly tipped with straw yellow or creamy white. If not disbudded it will produce flowers about 7 inches in diameter in the greatest abundance, but with disbudding, the bloom will go easily to 9 to 10 inches in diameter. Height of plant about 4 1/2 feet, spreading and sturdy in growth. Flower stems long and stiff, holding the flower well above the foliage. A wonderful bloomer, there being from six to eight perfect blooms on the plant at all times.

Root \$1.50

**JUDGE MAREAN (F.D.)**—One of the most beautiful dahlias ever created. A blending of salmon, pink, red, iridescent orange, yellow and pure gold.

Root 50c

**KATHERINE COLE (F.D.) (McDowell)**—In color it is a beautiful combination of light pink and cream. The tips of the petals are pink, shading to cream, with a pink center. Imagining an Eagle Rock Beauty on a Jersey's Beauty stem would give one a fair idea of the beauty of this flower. The stems are long and stiff, yet not thick, and the flower is always looking you in the eye. The foliage is thick and healthy and, above all, it is a free bloomer.

Root \$1.00

**KATHLEEN NORRIS (I.D.) (F. & M.)**—A bloom of gigantic proportions. We believe we can conscientiously state it is the greatest pink decorative dahlia in commerce today. Color a true rose pink, later deepening to mallow pink, but paler in the young central petals. Broad, overlapping petals with twisted ends, filled to the center. Foliage dark green and leathery. Great bloomer and excellent keeper.

Root \$1.00

**KARL BONAWITZ (S.C.) (Dahliadel 86)**—The entire make-up of this dahlia will appeal to the artistic. It has sufficient size to assert itself, while the

form, color and keeping qualities make it graceful as well as useful. Color is a brilliant velvety carmine. This variety was featured by us in four of the big Eastern shows where it was greatly admired and was one of our best keepers. Root \$3.00

**KENTUCKY (I.D.) (Wiggington)**—A sport of Jersey's Beauty with every good trait of the latter. The color is a light salmon-orange, shading to grenadine orange, the base of petals being a light yellow. Petals are slightly twisted and are of splendid substance, making it an exceptionally fine cut flower. A prolific bloomer. Root \$1.00

**KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER (I.D.) (Kemp 85)**—The predominating color of this fine dahlia is Napthaline violet, with an undertone of royal purple, lightening to a faint bluish violet at the tips of petals. Deep flowers of perfect form. Stems are stiff, holding flowers a foot above the foliage. A truly outstanding variety, keeping well when cut. Plant is a prolific bloomer, strong grower, not susceptible to sucking insects. Root \$1.00

**KEMPS WHITE WONDER (I.D.)** — This great white is a definite cross between Ft. Monmouth and Ida Perkins and is one of the largest and best white dahlias of informal decorative type. Color is pure white, blooms are held very erect on stiff stems, and are produced in profusion early until late in the season. This dahlia attained 11-12 inches in the trial garden of its originator, and from 8 to 9 inches in depth. The plant is a strong, sturdy grower, wide spreading with many branches from the ground up, producing a giant bloom that can be cut with a stem 5 to 6 feet. Foliage, very thick, insect-resisting. Root \$7.50

**KING MIDAS (I.D.) (Peacock 85)**—A very popular yellow dahlia. The plant growth is sturdy, stems are long and erect. Centers are high and full to the end of the season. Root \$1.50

**KING OF YELLOWS, (I.D.) (Dr. Shattuck)**—A very large flower of eight to ten inches with very narrow folding petals that are beautiful. It is really a new type. It has great depth and a very fine high center and a long stiff stem. A beautiful buttercup yellow. The foliage is perfect and it keeps well. Root \$7.50

**LONG HILL (I.D.)** — Here is a dahlia that should be in every garden. It is a seedling of Jane Cowl and an improvement over this one in many ways. Color a combination of gold and rose shadings with a yellow center and rose reverse. Imagine a dahlia with these colors and you have a fair idea of its beauty. The petals are long, curled and twist, further enhancing its beauty. The plant is a strong grower and a very prolific bloomer. Flowers are held erect on long, strong stems, well above the dark green leathery insect resistant foliage. A grand dahlia for cutting, as well as the exhibition table. Root \$5.00

**MARMION (I.D.)** — Lovely tone of soft golden yellow with slight bronze suffusion on the reverse. Good stems, sturdy plants, and too big to be planted with other varieties Root \$1.00

**MILDRED BROOKS HOOVER (F.D.) (Broomall 83)**—This dahlia is distinctive because of its unusual formation. Color, reddish violet or described by some as Spinel red. Stems are strong and hold the blooms well out of the foliage. This variety will remind you of Rosa Nell, with larger blooms of a shaggy formation. Root \$2.00

**MONMOUTH CHAMPION (F.D.) (Kemp)**—This is a strong, vigorous grower producing extra large blooms of a brilliant orange flame. The stems are perfect and it is a splendid exhibition flower.

Root \$1.50

**MONMOUTH GENERAL (I.D.) (Kemp)**— Huge flower with wavy petals of bright Henna. This great dahlia will be a running mate for Fort Monmouth Champion. Another Honor Roll Dahlia.

Root \$5.00

**MRS. ALFRED B. SEAL (F.D.)**—Described by the originator as follows: Undoubtedly the largest and finest pure rich, glowing, old rose dahlia ever produced — nothing we have ever seen can even remotely approach it. Such an unusual coloring — the softest, richest shade of pure, glowing, old rose imaginable. The flowers are huge, measuring with Siskiyou, and of great depth and substance, and hold proudly erect above a tall, strong bush.

Root \$1.50

**MRS. I. DE VER WARNER (F.D.)**—Another favorite everywhere. Orchid pink. Very large, extra stem, strong grower, free bloomer. Sure to please.

Root 50c

**MRS. GEO. SKEINE (F.D.)**—One of the best rose colored red I have seen. Great stem. Root 50c

**MYRA HOWARD (I.D.) (Glutzbeck-Dahliadel)**— Glowing combination of saffron and gold with tints of salmon, the entire effect being ochreous orange. Fine form and color. Wonderful plant and a thrifty grower, producing giant blooms on long rigid stems. Root \$4.00

**OMAR KHAYYAM (F.D.)** — This much admired giant. Color, a Chinese red at the base of petals and shading to a bright orange and tipped lighter, giving the huge blooms a wonderful soft color effect. The flowers which can easily be grown to over 10 inches in width are held erect facing sideways, well above the foliage on cane-like stems that can be cut from 4 to 6 feet in length. This variety has won many prizes and is good as a cut or exhibition flower. Root \$2.00

**PANSY G. WHITE (S.C.)** — A strong, rugged bush, especially so for a yellow dahlia, with long erect stems. Blooms are uniform and of good sub-

stance. Color, a clear canary yellow. Plant is a good clean grower with foliage that insects keep away from. **Root \$2.00**

**PATRICIA ANN (F.D.)** — Picric yellow, suffused pink, of fine form and striking color. The flowers which are huge and deep are held facing up, on long, strong, stiff stems, well above the tall stately plant. A winner everywhere. **Root \$2.50**

**PRINCE OF PERSIA (I.D.)** — A very striking bright red exhibition dahlia of the most iridescent rich glowing crimson. The petals of which are of great depth and substance, making an unusually deep and attractive flower. Blooms of 10 inches in width can easily be attained with very little disbudding in abundance and profusion as the bush is robust, vigorous and of wide-spreading habit in growth. The stems are all that can be asked for, as they hold the giant blooms facing sideways, well out of the foliage, which is insect resistant. A very good variety when cut or as an exhibition flower. **Root \$2.00**

**SATAN (S.C.) (Ballay)** — Flaming red with a slight touch of gold at the center. The exquisite coloring is at once fascinating. The hornlike petals are so perfectly rolled and incurved, giving rare form and character to a flower of unusual brilliancy. The rugged, almost leafless stems, give the impression of being nearly as thick at the top as at the base. This variety has been a consistent winner at the shows. Plants medium to tall habit of growth.

**Root \$5.00**

**SAGAMORE PRINCE (F.D.) (Dr. Shattuck)** — The color given at the trial gardens was carmine blended with rose red, back of petals almost cream color. The first flower comes in the crotch, the rest of the flowers have good stems. Size of the flower seven to nine inches, depth two to three and a half. Height of plant three and one-half feet. It is a late bloomer, making it come in just fine for the shows. **Root \$3.00**

**SAGAMORE BEAUTY (D.) (Dr. Shattuck)** — A very handsome, deep rose pink with a small cream center. A fine cut flower and great keeper. It has a good stiff stem ten to twelve inches in length. The flowers are held up and look right at you. It has good depth and is from six to seven inches in diameter. Foliage dark green and insect proof. **Root \$2.50**

**SHAHRAZAD (I.D.)** — A gorgeous deep pink that can not be fittingly described. Blooms are of great size and substance as well as depth. Stems straight, rigid and cane-like. This Dahlia resembles Jane Cowl in many ways, a vigorous grower and well mentioned by all who have seen it. **Root \$2.00**

**STARLIGHT (S.C.) (Bessie Boston)** — Pure unshaded gold, a color which always attracts. Flower is huge and there is no limit to the size to which it

can be grown. Bushes grow tall and luxuriantly and flowers start early and continue with closed centers until frost. Form is excellent, and petals roll evenly until late in the season. The stem is stiff and strong and the flowers grow well out of the foliage. This variety will be found excellent for cutting as well as exhibiting and is always a delight in the garden.

**Root \$1.25**

**THOMAS A. EDISON (F. D.)** — This gorgeous rich royal purple decorative selected and named by permission of the famous electrical wizard, met with his complete approval when viewed at his West Orange estate. The staghorn petal formation, the dark green insect resisting foliage, the cane-stiff stems, and its thrifty growing habit leave nothing to be desired. After a year's trial we consider Thomas A. Edison a marvelous Dahlia.

**Root \$1.00**

**THE WORLD (F. D.)** — This wonderful new Dahlia was selected at the A. D. S. Show in New York, by Mr. J. D. Sullivan, of the New York World. The coloring is unusual — rich deep rosy magenta overlaid garnet with silver shadings on edges of petals. Eight to ten inches across and half as deep.

**Root \$1.00**

**TREASURE ISLAND (F.D.) (Dahliadel)**—One of the brightest Autumn shades we have seen. The color is bright apricot with gold and rose suffusion and shadings. Bush growth is strong, branching freely from the ground, giving 4 to 5 foot stems. Flowers are held erect, are medium to large, and retain full centers throughout the season. Good keeper as a cut flower.

**Root \$1.00**

**VALENTINO (F.D.) (Boston 83)**—A Dahlia, attractive in formation, which blooms prolifically on good stems and remains true to type throughout the season. The bush is an upright grower. Color, true salmon pink shading to cream at center.

**Root \$1.25**

**WALDHEIM SUNSHINE (D) (Peacock)**—Color, a true deep yellow with darker shading that improves under artificial light. A rich golden suffusion brightens its full high center. Form very attractive, having long, wavy petals. Size extra large. Said by originator to grow 12 inches in diameter. Stems long and sturdy holding flowers facing.

**Root \$1.25**

**WATCHUNG MAROON (F.D.)** — A very dark maroon, of great size, held erect on exceptionally long stems, that hold the massive blooms facing sideways. It has a rich velvet texture, and was quite an attraction at my gardens, where it was admired by all who saw it. Blooms up to 12 inches in diameter. Can be grown with little disbudding. A marvelous dahlia for the garden or table, a tall clean open grower.

**Root \$2.50**

**WATCHUNG SUNRISE (D) (Smith)** — Strong healthy plant carrying its large, well formed blooms of gold with pink suffusion, far above the foliage.

A profuse and early bloomer. Stems unusually good. Centers high and well formed. Root \$1.50

**WATCHUNG WONDER (I.D.) (Smith 88)** — A spectacular dahlia of a rich royal red with a touch of gold at the center of flowers, with an occasional yellow petaloid to enhance its beauty. Flowers might be described as being almost on the end of the stem and have unusual keeping qualities, for the back petals can be removed when withered and the centers will open out to perfect blooms.

Root \$2.50

**WILLIAM H. HOGAN (I.D.)** — One of the best fancy dahlias. A prize winner. Color garnet red, with white tips running down the center of each petal. Every petal comes true to color. Large blooms on rigid stems.

Root \$1.00

**YANKEE KING (D) (Wood)** — Color coppery rose and old gold. Blooms large and well formed on very long rigid stems. Bushes large and vigorous.

Root 75c

**YORK AND LANCASTER (War of Roses) (Dec)** — An exceptionally fine exhibition or cut flower. The blooms are very large of fine form, held erect on three foot stiff stems. It has splendid keeping qualities when cut. There is nothing to compare with its beauty. Color, a bright crimson, each petal tipped pure white. A good tuber producer.

Root \$2.50

### POMPOMS

**IROQUOIS EDWIN** — A small lavender flower on long stems, excellent as a cut flower, a very free bloomer.

Root 75c

**IROQUOIS LITTLE ELMER** — Very good as a cut flower. Color Apricot Yellow with tints of Pink and Old Rose.

Root 50c

**IROQUOIS FLAME** — The color is flame, bush medium and spreading with blooms on extremely long stems. Literally all over the bush, making it ideal for bedding as well as the right form for exhibiting.

Root \$1.00

**IROQUOIS HENRY** — A perfectly formed purple. Long stems, free bloomer. Fine for exhibition or cutting.

Root 75c

**IROQUOIS JACK** — A small cerise purple. Free bloomer with very long stems making it an excellent variety for cutting.

Root 75c

**IROQUOIS LITTLE RED** — A very good bright red, fine bloomer. Good cut flower.

Root 50c



# PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

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## ORDER EARLY

Do not delay ordering until planting time, as many varieties will be sold out.

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## TERMS

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## OUR GUARANTEE

All stock is guaranteed to be true to name and must reach you in perfect growing condition. If for any reason it is found otherwise, please return at once and I will cheerfully replace or refund the purchase price.

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## TIME OF SHIPMENT

Unless requested earlier, tubers will be sent around May 10th.

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## SUBSTITUTION

I do not substitute unless requested to do so.

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